

Warehouse Support Services – RFQ 19KU2022Q0015

Questions and Answers

	Question(s)	Answer(s)
01	Kindly please advise what equipment and vehicles are provided	<p>Please refer to Section 1, continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 2. “General Requirement”.</p> <p>The Government shall provide all equipment and vehicles necessary to support the contractor with his daily services.</p>
02	<p>The contractor will be responsible of moving furniture and appliances from any housing units or designated warehouse within the State of Kuwait to any new residential location or to any designated place as per COR instructions.</p> <p>Please confirm whether the truck, and drivers are to be included in our offer or these are provided by Embassy, and all that is required are trained labor, technicians, and warehouse operations engagement team.</p>	<p>Please refer to Section 1, continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 2. “General Requirement”.</p> <p>The Government shall provide all equipment and vehicles with drivers necessary to support the contractor with his daily services.</p> <p>All that is required are trained laborers and the warehouse operations engagement team to perform complete warehouse support services as described in this contract.</p>
03	Will there be an estimated value of goods provided, in order to obtain accurate insurance premiums	Please refer to Section 1, continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 7.0 “Insurance.”
04	How many Containers located just outside/inside of the embassy provided with security or under CCTV coverage	Please refer to Section 1. Paragraph 1. (2) “Scope of contract” and Continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 1. (b) Performance Work Statement.”
05	Are we also liable for damages which may occur in the event of rain, excessive heat for items under storage in the containers?	No.
06	Regarding the Daily cleaning of the Warehouse, the cleaning materials (like mops, liquids, consumables) are provided by the government or we need to include in our quote?	The Government will provide all necessary cleaning supplies.
07	For delivering heavy equipment to the offices, will the government be providing the contractor with the necessary tools to Carry the equipment	<p>Please refer to Section 1, continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 2. “General Requirement.”</p> <p>The Government shall provide all equipment and vehicles necessary to support the contractor with his daily services.</p>
08	Safety officer/Engineer required for approvals for any high-risk activities	Please refer to DOSAR 652.236-70.
09	Contract start date	<p>Tentative start date of base year is September 1, 2022.</p> <p>Please refer to Section 1 – Paragraphs 2.4.1 and 2.4.2.</p>
10	It’s mentioned “Wipe off dust from warehouse shelves and furniture.” Kindly provide us with the number of the shelves and Pictures of the shelves and furniture?	<p>There are approximate 500 metal shelves available in the warehouse.</p> <p>Furniture will vary in quantity in the warehouse. Usually, the furniture will consist of the following: dressers, chests,</p>

		<p>nightstands, headboards, dining room tables, chairs, easy chairs and couches.</p> <p>Please refer below to pictures of existing shelves. As far as the furniture, there are no pictures available. However, these are normal household and office furniture pieces.</p>
11	Kindly provide us your estimated manpower required for warehouse support services and also let us know the minimum and maximum of manpower required?	It's the contractor's responsibility to furnish all direct labor personnel necessary to accomplish the work for this contract.
12	Kindly clarify us for the warehouse support services the laborers are single sponsor or not?	Please refer to Section 1, continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 4. "Personnel".
13	If it is single sponsor, can you provide us three-month time to arrange them from out of the country.	Please refer to Continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies, Paragraph 4. "Personnel."
14	Kindly provide us the distance between each villa and each apartment?	Exact distances are not available. However, some residential units are located inside the Embassy compound and others within 3 – 20 Km radius from US. Embassy Kuwait, Bayan area.
15	Kindly provide us how many floors are there in each apartment?	This information is not available. However, please refer to Section 1, continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 2.1.
16	How we have to shift the furniture if it is more than one floor?	Either via the elevator if available or via stairs.
17	Deliver heavy equipment and office machines to offices What are all Equipment Required? To consider in Tender Office Machines – What are all machinery? we have to consider in Tender	This information is not available. However, please refer to Section 1, continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 2.7 "Deliver heavy equipment and office machines to offices."
18	How many labors / technicians are currently being utilized at the warehouses, and if any at the containers under current Contractor agreement? Estimate number of labors currently performing the services	<p>Please note that Statement of Work and requirement(s) under RFQ 19KU2022Q0015 is not the same as the existing contract.</p> <p>There are 4 personnel working under the existing contract.</p>
19	Is there a site visit scheduled before quoting	No
20	Who is the incumbent contractor performed this service? And contract Number?	<p>Ardh AL-Yusifan Co. (A&Y)</p> <p>Contract # 19KU2021C0021</p>
21	The current incumbent contract value	The contract was for 6 months with 6 one-month options. Total value: KWD 23,052.000 for base and all options.
22	Shall the contractor include any equipment in the price such as telehandler and manlift? If yes, please advise what are the list of equipment needed.	<p>Please refer to Section 1, continuation to SF-1449, Schedule of Supplies. Paragraph 2. "General Requirement".</p> <p>The Government shall provide all equipment and vehicles necessary to support the contractor with his daily services.</p>
23	<p>In SOW Clause 1.2 (Pg.No.7)- It's mentioned "There are 22 (20 ft) and 15 (40 ft) containers located within Embassy zone, just outside Embassy perimeter walls".</p> <p>Kindly clarify how far it is from Embassy?</p>	They are within walking distance, 3 minutes from the embassy back gate, about 100 meters from the main back gate

24	Estimated Award date for this contract?	Tentative award date is between July – 1 st week of August 2022. Contractor to commence performance starting from September 1, 2022.
25	Kindly, it is possible to have more information concerning the tender? It is manpower? Catering? Cleaning support?	Please refer to Continuation to SF-1449 “Schedule of Services”, paragraphs 1 – 9 for performance work statement and other related information.







